

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/691,016  
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**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please amend the Specification beginning at page 2, line 5 as follows:

This application is a continuation of application Serial No. 10/014,914, filed October 2001, which is abandoned and which is a continuation of application Serial No. 08/950,301, filed October 14, 1997, now U.S. Patent No, 6,374,538, which is a continuation-in-part of provisional application Serial NO. 60/035,216, filed January 7, 1997, and is also a continuation-in-part of provisional application Serial No. 60/049,285, filed June 10, 1997, which applications are incorporated herein by reference.